I say therefore that the member knows the answer.

MR. K. P. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil*): Does it follow, Sir?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The answer is there.

MR. D. C. JOSEPH (*Agastisvaram*): It has no connection with that. Therefore I asked the question.

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The question is who was the man?

MR. K. P. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil*): From the way in which the question is put, is it suggested that it was the Devaswom Commissioner who presided over the Assembly? Has the member suggested it?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Yes.

MR. K. P. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil*): After he became the Devaswom Commissioner he might have held other posts. Therefore, does it follow that it was the Devaswom Commissioner who presided at the Assembly?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The question indicates what appointment he held.

Kottayam-Kumarakam Road.

478. **MR. R. RAMAN PILLAI** (*Kottayam*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the nature of the action they have taken in respect of the construction of the Kottayam-Kumarakam road; and

(*b*) if they have not taken any action as yet (3-4-1929) the reason for the same?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) An estimate has been called for from the Chief Engineer.

(*b*) This does not arise in view of the answer to part (*a*) above.

The Chunkam Bridge.

479. **MR. R. RAMAN PILLAI** (*Kottayam*): Will the Government be pleased to state what action they have taken regarding the construction of the Chunkam bridge on the border of the town of Kottayam?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): The matter is under the consideration of the Government.

Laws' Delays.

480. **MR. REVATI NAL RAMA VARMA RAJA** (*Edavagai*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the High Court has made any recommendation to them regarding the Laws' Delays enquiry;

(*b*) if so, when and what action they have taken on it; and

(*c*) if no action has been taken yet (22-8-1104) the reason for the same?

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